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ST. PATRICK'S DAY IN THE MORNING

This is St. Patrick's day, and all good Hibernians are celebrating the day all over the civilized world, and doubtless in some parts of the world where real civilization is yet to come. The historic shamrock—natural or artificial—is being displayed on many a coat whose tail wouldn't be well to tread upon, and green neckties predominate.

In Richmond it is the same as it is everywhere else. Fraternal societies, social organizations and religious bodies are paying their respects to Ireland's patron saint, who drove the snakes from the Emerald Isle.

Last night the Epworth League of the First M. E. church at the Point celebrated, refreshments being served and the program and the decorations partaking of the tomorrow.

Tonight the Y. L. I. and Y. M. I. will conduct a dance at East Shore Park. It is to be a regular St. Patrick affair, and everything will be there but the good old brogue.

The Moose Defenders will have a dance tonight at thir hall, with a supper afterwards at the Tivoli Cafe.

And at their homes, a number of society people plan St. Patrick's day affairs for this afternoon or tonight, and the town generally is being painted green, so to speak.

SAVING UP SPUDS FOR THE MATINEE

The kids are already beginning to save up spuds for that big potato ... matinee at the Turner & Dahnken Richmond theater on the 21st, the vegetable proceeds to be turned over by Manager Northey to the Social Service Bureau for distribution among poor families. There are 3100 school children in the city, and if each one brings a tuber it will make a nice little pile. Manager Northey is in conference with Chief Walker to have the precious edibles protected.

Fred Heckman will represent the local labor organizations at the state meeting in Marysville on the 19th.

CITY FLAG RAISING.

Arrangements are not as yet complete for the flag raising ceremonies near the city hall. Some time ago Councilman Ogborn moved that the American flag be flung to the breeze on a proper pole at the seat of government. Lane seconded the motion, and later City Clerk Faris turned the handling of the matter over to the G. A. R. organizations as directed by the resolution. A committee consisting of Comrades Henry Galvin and Levi Boswell from the G. A. R. and Mesdames J. E. Washburn and M... P... Gonner from the circle has charge of the arrangements.

They hope to have a speaker, together with some musical numbers for the occasion, but their plans are not as yet complete. No date has been set, for the reason that the pole is not yet in place, though Fire Chief Lamoin has promised to get it up next week if possible.

The municipal band has promised to assist.

MOONEY MASS MEETING.

At the instigation of local labor leaders there will be a mass meeting at Polytechnic hall next Tuesday evening, when R. N. Patterson, a well known laborite, and E. Minor, the famous cartoonist, will speak concerning the conviction of Thomas Mooney. This is to be one of a series of meetings in the nature of a protest against Mooney's conviction by what the labor men term unfair means. The general public will be welcome.

BARACA PROGRAM.

The Baraca Bible class of Calvary Baptist church is planning to conduct the church service next Sunday night. An exceptionally interesting program is being prepared. Much secrecy prevails among the Baracas regarding the program and several interesting features are promised. At the close of the service several of the Baraca boys will be baptised. This will mark the first appearance of the new Baraca gospel team recently organized. Come early if you want a seat.

RICHMOND REBECKAHS.

The tenth anniversary of Richmond Rebeckah lodge will be celebrated April 9, when five new members will be initiated. The charter members and those who instituted the lodge will be entertained at that time also. Four candidates were added to the roll at the meeting on Thursday night.

O'Looney, the well known grocer, says he expects a big sale of Irish potatoes today, as the spud is the national flower of the land of his birth.

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HAWLEY OPENING BIG SUCCESS

The formal opening of the Hawley Piano Company's new piano store at 721 Macdonald avenue last night was a brilliant and deserved success.

Not so very long ago P. G. Hawley started in tht piano business in this city, in a small and unpretentious way. From ... small beginning he has built up a magnificent business, by hard work, close application to his affairs, conscientious dealing with the public and by consistent adherence to a policy of "delivering the goods."

Today he boasts the finest piano and music store in the city, and it is doubtful if there are many outside of San Francisco that can compare with his place of business in point of artistic merit, convenience and stock. This can be attested by the scores who visited the store last evening to wonder and admire and lavish their praise upon all they saw and heard.

While the Baldwin grand is the chief boast of the concern, there are carried other high-grade makes, such as the Baldwin-Manuelo player piano, the Ellington, the Howard and the Monarch.

A Baldwin grand was used in the large concert room for the opening, Lowell Redfield, a Berkeley musician and vocalist, being the soloist for the occasion. He rendered a number of fine selections and was loudly applauded.

The phonographs—such well-known makes as the Sonora, the Victor and the Star, came in for much atttntion, and the sound-proof demonstration rooms were also a source of interest.

Assisting Mr. Hawley were R. H. Cornell, Lyle Connor and Miss L. Marotte, adept demonstrators of the various musical instruments carried in stock.

During the evening a number of selections were rendered by an orchestra of great merit.

Several floral pieces were sent in by friends of the concern, with success as their keynote. The concert room was tastefully decorated with palms and evergreens.

LABOR FORNINST CHARTER.

As stated in the News several days ago, local organized labor is against the new charter, on the ground that it is little or no improvement over the existing charter. They were addressed the other evening by Attorney Locke, who framed the document, and Freeholders Lang, Ludewig and Schramm. The union men took no further action than already taken.

CONFESSIONAL BOX DONATED.

Mrs. Frederica Blume has donated $65 for a new confessional box for St. Paul's church, San Pablo. Nearly every Catholic family of San Pablo has made some donation toward the new furnishings of the church, and have been so generous that these amount to $950 to date.

ADDRESSED THE SOLDIERS.

Col. William White of Chico, who is reorganizing the National Guard, addressed the members of Company B last night at the armory in the old city hall. His talk proved most interesting, and a number of recruits were added.

George Bray of this city has invented a pneumatic cap to be worn by aviators. It is designed to keep them afloat until help arrives should they fall into water.

Councilman Gerlach

Sketched from Life for the News By Frank Geritz.

This beautiful, life-like and terribly expensive portrait of our highly esteemed fellow citizen, John Gerlach, was created by Geritz, the News special artist, after much labor and thought, and is hereby flung at the heads of an unsuspecting and unprotected public without a word of warning to mitigate its horrors.

We have started out to show up these City Dads, regardless of cost or consequence, and propose to do it if Mount Tamalpais and Mount Diablo both drop into the bay.

John Gerlach is superintendent of the Richmond Pressed Brick Works. He is also serving out a sentence as city councilman, to which he was condemned by an excited populace some years ago. Incidentally he owns a lot of Richmond property, and some at Los Angeles, and 'steen places between, and as far as we know he got it honestly, and his name is the same out West here as it was back East.

Now, be it known, that John is as mild a mannered man as ever threw a brick, and sometimes he don't care a dern, when that Dutch of his gets riled, whether the brick is pressed or unpressed. He frequently throws a few at council meeting, whereat the other members duck under the table. Otherwise he is all right.

Among other ways the Lord has been on Gerlach's side is in giving him a mighty fine better-half, who is prominent among the leading ladies in civic work, and all that, but up to this writing we have been unable to gather any data whatever that will throw any light on the mystery of how the dickens he ever managed to fool her. Probably the same old way all the rest of us ornery married men got by on.

Well, anyhow, John Gerlach has the confidence and respect of his fellow men, including the News, and any man who stands high among his neighbors is rich, no matter whether he have worldly goods or not. Nuff sed.

ATTENTION, MOOSE.

Grand excursion and initiation at Rodeo Sunday, March 18. Drum corps, Moose Defenders and members meet at club rooms at 10:45 o'clock, a. m. Round trip 35 cents. Come and bring your family. Train laaves S. P. Depot 11:25 a. m.

ZEB KNOTT,
Chairman of Transportation Committee. 66t2

Y. M. W. C. ONE YEAR OF AGE

The Young Married Women's Club of the Wesley M. E. church celebrated their first anniversary last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Richards, who did the honors in charming style. Games were played and music enjoyed, and a huge birthday cake with one lone candle in its center was demolished. A piece of it found its way to the News office, and the editor had to protect it with his life until he got on the outside of it. The committee in charge of the delightful affair consisted of Mesdames Richards, Hooper, Moore and Oakley. The guests were Mrs. A. R. Pearcy, Mrs. Lon Butler, Mrs. L. B. Metcalf, Mr. and Mrs. Rice, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Renoud, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hulse and son, Mrs. A. M. George, Mr. and Mrs. B. Banner, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hooper, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith, Mr and Mrs. J. F. Rogers, Rev. and Mrs. Frank Linder, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Oakley, Mrs. Ed Hill and son, Mrs. S. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Ad S. Wagle and Mrs. H. Moore.

NEWS FROM THE POINT

The Acid works and Barrel house bowling teams clashed Thursday night, winning in total numbers of pins for three games as follows:

Acid, 2014.
Barrel house, 1976.

Frank Critchet of S. F. was a business visitor at the Point Thursday.

M. L. Denend of the Santa Fe is around again after two months in the Morton hospital at San Francisco.

Joseph Orando has opened a barber shop at 8 Washington avenue.

Richard Nichol of San Francisco paid the Point a business visit yesterday.

C. C. Collins has recovered from a long illness.

Mesdames Roland, Thayer, Ratt, Knott, Radcliffe, Gardner, Hamilton and H. G. Stidham attended the Oakland meeting of the El Vista chapter of the O. E. S yesterday.

The Washington school children are planting flowers in the Richmond avenue parking place under the direction of Miss Nora Ashfield, the principal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smith entertained a party of friends at their home Thursday evening, with Mrs. Maude Foster of Oakland guest of honor. Mrs. Foster is a vocalist of unusual ability and sang several selections during the evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Riggs, Mr. and Mrs. Black, Mr. and Mrs. McCullough, Miss Hazel Hopkins and W. J. French. The hostess served delightful refreshments.

Zephyr Rebekah lodge will entertain all Odd Fellows and Rebekahs at their meeting tonight. There will be drilling, program anad dancing.

Mrs. W. A. Fairfield of Ceres is visiting at the home of Rev. J. C. Gillette.

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NICHOLAS ABDICATES.

PETROGRAD, March 16, 5:30 p. m., via London, March 17.—Emperor Nicholas abdicated at midnight last night on behalf of himself and the heir apparent, Grand Duke Alexis in favor of the Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch.

At 3:30 o'clock this afternoon Grand Duke Michael himself abdicated, thus bringing the Romanoff dynasty to an end.

HIGH SCHOOL DOINGS

The regular phonograph concert at which student attendance is voluntary was listened to with much interest yesterday morning by almost the entire student body.

Honor to Graduate.

Paul Follett, a graduate from the high school with last year's class has been elected president of the freshman class at the University of California.

"Chocolate Man" Visits High School.

On Thursday afternoon the high school students and faculty enjoyed a lecture illustrated by motion pictures, on the manufacture of Hershey's chocolate. The pictures showing the chocolate from the time it was a cocoa bean, which comes principally from tropical South America, to its final development into milk chocolate.

The lecture and pictures were concluded with a panorama view of "Chocolate Town," as Hershey is nicknamed. It was stated that the town with a population of about three thousand has no saloons, and that no policemen were necessary.

New Track Captain.

The resignation of Dick Maxwell as track captain has been accepted and at a meeting held Thursday afternoon Henry Masvik was elected to fill the vacancy.

It was also announced that according to a decision of the executive committee of the C. A. C. A. A. L., no trophy would be offered for the winning 120-pound team in the track meet to be held in May, so it was decided that Richmond would not send a team of this weight to compete, but would enter only the regular squad.

ST. PATRICK'S DANCE.

The most pretentious St. Patrick's affair in this vicinity will be the dance to be given Saturday evening by the Y. M. I. and the Y. L. I. of Richmond at East Shore Park. The hall will be appropriately decorated and everything will be gilt edged.

NO REPEATS ON POISON.

The bill introduced by Assemblyman Calahan to prevent the refilling of a poison prescription without a new prescription by a physician, was passed in the Assembly yesterday.

STANDARD WORKING OVERTIME.

The Standard Oil Company finds it necessary to work some of their departments overtime for a few days to fill heavy shipping orders. The men will work ten hours, which means two hours of overtime.

CONFERRED THIRD DEGREE.

The third degree was conferred on a candidate at McKinley Masonic lodge Thursday by Worshipful Master M. H. Cary. A banquet followed.

R. R. STRIKE SEEMS VERY PROBABLE

WASHINGTON, March 1...—The government has acted in an effort to prevent the progressive nation-wide railroad strike, scheduled to start at 6 p. m. tomorrow.

Secretary of the Interior Lane, Secretary of Labor Wilson, Samuel Gompers, president of the A. F. of L., and Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, were this afternoon named by President Wilson to confer with brotherhood chiefs and railroad managers in a final effort to avert such a calamity.

All left at once for New York.

Following a meeting of the President's Cabinet this afternoon at which the strike situation was discussed, Secretary of War Baker issued the following statement:

"Acting under a plan suggested by the national council of defense today, Secretary Lane, Secretary Wilson, Daniel Willard and Samuel Gompers, all memberes of the advisory council of the council of national defense, went to New York to confer immediately with representatives of both sides with the end in view of bringing about an adjustment of the differences and avoid a serious situation developing at a time of international crisis.

"This action was taken subject to the approval of the President and his approval has been given."

The President, in view of the international situation, is determined to take any action, however drastic, to prevent a tie-up of the great transportaion sysems of the country.

Coincident with designating the mediatory board, President Wilson later sent a personal appeal to members of the railroad brotherhood and railroad managers for co-operation in the best interests of the country.

The appeal reads:

"I deem it my duty and my right to appeal to you in this time of national peril to open again the questions at issue between the railroads and their operatives with a view to accommodaion or settlement. With my approval, a committee of the council of national defense is about to seek a conference with you, with that end in view.

"A general interruption of the railway traffic of the country at this time would entail a danger to the nation against which I have the right to enter my most solemn and earnest protest.

"It is now the duty of every patriotic man to bring matters of this sort to immediate accommodation.

"The safety of the country against manifest perils affecting its own peace and the peace of the whole world makes accommodation absolutely imperative and seems to me to render any other choice of action inconceivable.

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Editorial Comment

THE RAILROAD STRIKE.

That a nation-wide raliroad strike is quite liable to be set going tonight seems now inevitable, and while it is most deplorable at this time, as far as that is concerned, we cannot see but what the rail workers have a valid kick coming, and we do not blame them for trying to make it stick.

Months ago they demanded an eight hour day and were refused by the raliroad companies, so they called a strike to enforce their demands. This was averted by President Wilson and Congress, and a law was rushed through Congress, the Adammson bill, compelling an eight-hour day on the railroads.

Time rolled around and the roads did not comply with the law, but instead took it to the Supreme Court and are still fighting it there. The rail workers have been patient, and now feel that as their demands are just and a law exists sustaining them it ought to be put into effect, hence the present ultimatum.

The railroads positively refuse to grant the request of the men for an eight-hour day, and so the matter has come to a showdown, and likely today will see the whole country tied up in a strike that will paralyze all rail shipping.

The men have assured President Wilson that in case of war, or anything akin to it, they will be found at their posts doing their whole duty, and in view of that they feel that they should get their grievance with the railroad companies settled before anything of that nature might arise, and in this they are just exactly right.

The railroads are wrong in this fight, and the men are right, and right is right and wrongs no man.

The published reports of the railroads show that never in their history have they made so much money as they have been making during the past two years. They are so rushed with business that not half enough cars can be got to carry the freight, and they have been allowed by various state commissions and the Federal commission to materially raise their rates, because, as they put it, increased cost of operation. But when it comes to give their workmen a meager share of all this great prosperity, they refuse.

Why should not the rail workers be given an eight-hour day, and a small raise in wages? Nearly every employer in the country has long ago granted the eight-hour day and somewhat of a raise to its workers, and very few are making the millions of profit the railroads are.

Remember that when you see a report published by a railroad company that it has paid seven per cent dividends, that in reality means that it has paid nearer seventy per cent then seven, because of the fact that three-fourths of all their stocks are nothing in the world but water—promotion stock, back of which is nothing but hot air and the earning capacity of the roads.

The printers in the News office work eight hour shifts, and for everey hour over that they receive time and a half credit, and if this little printing establishment, with $15,000 invested, can stand the strain, the railroad companies, with hundreds of millions each in the game, can surely do the same. And they should be made by law to do it, and if they will not obey the law and seek, as now, to defy it and fight it through, the courts on technicalities, then we hold that the men are justified in using any legitimate club on them within their power.

A nation-wide railroad strike is a bad thing, and will hurt the whole country, but if it must come it might as well be fought out now as any other time.

The railraods have defied the men; they have defied the Congress of the country; they have defied the President of the United States, and are now defying the law. If they are tied up tonight it will be their own fault, and we do not see that they have any sympathy coming.

Naturally enough, the Byron Times is against the Rominger bill. Any measure calculated to crimp the saloons and booze industry is sure to be opposed by the Times. It is for the liquor interests all the way through, and may as well be honest enough to own up to it as to be stalling, which fools nobody. It has a perfect right to help fight the booze battles if it wants to, but ought to come out in the open and say it is for whisky, and quit masquerading. We admire any man or paper that has the courage of its convictions, but detest hypocricy. The News is against booze in all its devilish ramifications, and has the nerve to say so, and don't care who knows it.

Harry Hammond has killed the county division bill in the Legislature again. He kills it regularly once a week. This time he will not even allow it to get out of committee. Harry has the surprise of his life coming up. Several thousand people who own property in Richmond, who live in every county in California, are seeing to it that the bill will get out of committee, all right. Taxation without representation has run its course in this county, and all-hog policies are not going to be allowed to get by any more.

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Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa county the Duplicate assessment book for the fiscal year 1916-1917, and

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on real property, will be due and payable on the

Third Monday in October, 1916,

and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter, at six o'clock p.m. and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

Last Monday in April, 1917,

at six o'clock p. m., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. The remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January, 1917,

and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April,

next thereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

That payment of taxes must be made at the office of the Tax Collector, in the town of Martinez.

MARTIN W. JOOST.
Tax Collector Contra Costa County.

Nov. 13, 1916.
Apr. 25, 1917

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NON-PAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 20, SERIES NO. 10, OHIO STREET, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 20, Series No. 10, issued under the "Street Improvement Act of 1893, approved February 27, 1893, dated the 20th day of July, 1911, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Ohio street, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 59 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed May 2nd, 1910, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will, on Friday, the 23rd day of March, 1917, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 12 m. (commencing said sale at the hour of 10 a. m.) of said day, sell at public auction in my office, 420 Macdonald avenue, in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows, to wit:

Lot number Seventy (70), block "A," as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled, "Santa Fe," filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, State of California, on March 17th, 1900.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $19.17, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $0.67.

This notice shall be published two weeks in the Richmond News, a newspaper of general circulation, published in said City of Richmond, which said newspaper is hereby designated by the undersigned as the newspaper in which this notice shall be published.

I. R. VAUGHN,
City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, Cal.

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MRS. I. E. ROLLINS, new resident teacher of piano; homes visited. No. 815 Sixth st. j11m1

NOTARY PUBLIC—I make and acknowledge all kinds of legal papers; deeds, mortgages, contracts, leases, etc.; houses to rent; fire insurance. H. G. Stidham, 163 Washington ave. Phones: Office, 868; residence, 920. 36tf

FOR SALE—Second hand lumber, wood and pipe. California Chair Co. Call Fenerstein, Box 566, Richmond. 54w2*

FOR SALE—Will sell for $100 cash, $290 equity, lots 6 and 7 in block 9, Lincoln Boulevard tract; original cost of lots $1300. Write M. F. Nelligan, corner Second and B sts., Santa Rosa, Cal. 52w3

FOR RENT—Five and six-room new houses, modern in every detail. Inquire C. E. Hopping, 1605 Telegraph avenue, Oakland. Phone Oakland 3675. 60t6

FOR SALE—One lot on San Pablo avenue at Stege Junction. Apply A. Safine, Hotel Terminal. 62t6

MATTRESS making and repairing; mattresses made from old feather beds; investigate. Brownie Mattress Works. Phone 1170. 63t6

FOR SALE—At a bargain; good gas stove, slightly used. Inquire at News office. 63t6*

LOST from Stege—White English bulldog, Sharkey; Oakland license. Liberal reward. Notify Geo. W. Riley, route 1, box 265, W. Berkeley. 63t*

BOY going to school will work for board and room. See Mrs. Page 646 First st. 64t3*

WANTED—Woman to do chamber work; must be competent. Apply after 9 a. m., Hotel Glenn, 521 Macdonald ave.

WANTED—Solicitor. Apply 443 Tenth st., between 9 and 12 a. m. 65t3*

FOR SALE—Mandel's minute post card camera; complete outfit; cheap for cash. F. Geritz, 571 S 30th st. 65t6dh

DON GIOVANNI, the most famous blue-eyed white Persian Cat on the coast. 1121 Stannage ave., near Harrison, Albany, Cal. 66t1*

FOR RENT—Front room, with or without board; private family; reasonable. Apply 420 Ninth st. 66t6*

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

San Pablo. Sunday services: 7 a. m., confessions; 8:30 a. m., mass and sermon; 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 3 p. m., every Sunday during Lent, "The Way of the Cross," sermon in English, and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Every Wednesday, Sunday school at 2 p. m. and services at 7:30.

WAGE ADJUSTMENT.

I am familiar with the Canadian compulsory act, and I want to say that it has not only failed of its purpose—the prevention of strikes—but has engendered considerable antagonism against those in charge of the machinery of the law. What is actually happening in Canada is that the Lemieux law is being disregarded in labor disputes, and voluntary mediation is generally resorted to by both sides.

Moreover, I am against that section of your proposed plan which would leave to the wage board the adjustment of wages. That is a matter for the employer and employee to settle.—Hugh Frayne.

STRIKES DEFENDED.

Corporations Prone to Deal Unfairly With Their Employees.

Dr. Stephen S. Wise, rabbi of the Free synagogue, New York city, severely arraigned the railroad corporations at the recent hearing on the plan of Chairman Oscar S. Straus of the public service commission to avert strikes. Dr. Wise was the chairman of the citizens' committee on industrial relations. He said that for years he has studied industrial problems and the possibility of increasing the democratisation of the industries of America.

He said that in his judgment it was not as needful to guard against strikes as it was to safeguard the public interests through insistence that quasi-public industries should treat their employees fairly. Referring to the strike of street railway employees last summer, he expressed the opinion that the conditions under which the men worked before the strike were deplorable, that many of them had to work seven days a week to make a living and that all the time the men were subjected to the spy system, to threats and to intimidation by the corporations.

Dr. Wise did not think any system that would give the employers equal rights with the men in consideration of wages and hours of labor and conditions of labor would work out to the advantage of the men, because the corporations would always have present their own little organization of employees and would spy upon them, so that those spied upon would either have to yield to pressure or lose their jobs.

He suggested the formation of a board of men representing the public interests, whose duty it would be to study conditions under which the men worked and be ready at any time to furnish any official regulating body with complete information. He thought that in this way a determination of differences could be arrived at without danger of doing injustice. Dr. Wise made it clear that he doubted the disposition of the corporations to deal fairly with their employees. He said:

"The men must have the right to organize in independent and untrammeled fashion. I want to make it clear that I am thinking of those nice little safe pet organizations which Mr. Shonts and his associates control and keep in their vest pockets, those little organizations which are purchased and bribed and intimidated into battle against their fellows. Such organizations make impossible any genuinely democratic organization of the men."

WARNS MINE OWNERS.

Umpire Neill Declares Anthracite Operators Disobey Law.

Umpire Charles P. Neill of the conciliation board in deciding the grievances of the miners of the Harleigh No. 7 colliery declares that the quibbling of anthracite operators over back pay and pay rates "may be justly considered an attempt to destroy the orderly processes through which the last agreement was negotiated."

He declares that the miners throughout the anthracite field are entitled to back pay, the increase agreed upon and that any effort to penalize the workers threatens the peaceful conditions of the region.

The umpire declares that it is "absolutely essential to the success of the system in effect in the anthracite field for the peaceful settlement of any controversies that the retroactive features of the decisions be maintained with scrupulous fidelity."

In the Harleigh case the company alleged that back pay could not be given some men because they were formerly contract men and that the company had no records on which to base the increase.

The umpire declares that it is the duty of the companies to keep a record and that any effort to deny pay for lack of records is but a mere matter of quibbling.

Brewers Win Raise.

Charles Nickolaus, international representative of the Brewery Workers union, has been successful in securing a signed contract for the brewery workers in Duluth, Minn., calling for several important changes. He succeeded in getting an eight hour day for the inside men and an increase of $1.50 to $2 a week in pay. For the teamsters he secured a nine and ten hour day.

Shorter Day Bill Killed.

The bill providing for an eight hour day for women was practically killed when the West Virginia house by a vote of 44 to 42 declined to recall the measure from committee, where action on it had been indefinitely postponed.

A House Gown For Wintry Days and Also Matinees.

The fabric is gingersnap brown crepe de chine set off with fur bands. Beneath the skirt tucks fall georgette

MODISHLY CUT.

crape to take the banding, while crape ball buttons trim the waist and cuffs. The girdle is corded three times.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NON-PAYMENT OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BOND NO. 19, SERIES NO. 10, OHIO STREET, CITY OF RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of installments of principal and interest due on Street Improvement Bond No. 19, Series No. 10, issued under the "Street Improvement Act of 1893, approved February 27, 1893, dated the 20th day of July, 1911, and

WHEREAS, the holder of said bond has demanded in writing of the undersigned that he, as City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, proceed to advertise and sell the lot or piece of land in said bond mentioned and hereinafter described, which bond was issued for street work done on Ohio street, in said City of Richmond, as shown on assessment diagram on file in the office of the Superintendent of Streets of said City, and authorized by Resolution of Intention No. 59 of the Council of the City of Richmond, passed May 2nd, 1910, and

WHEREAS, the unpaid remainder of the principal of said bond and the interest thereon, by reason of said default, are due, payable and delinquent.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that unless the amount of said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice, are paid, I, the undersigned, as City Treasurer of the said City of Richmond, will, on Friday, the 23rd day of March, 1917, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 12 m. (commencing said sale at the hour of 10 a. m.) of said day, sell at public auction in my office, 420 Macdonald avenue, in said City of Richmond, to the bidder offering to pay the amount due on the bond with costs for the least portion of the said lot or piece of land mentioned in said bond and described as follows, to wit:

Lot number Seventy-one (71), block "A" as delineated and so designated upon that certain map entitled, "Santa Fe," filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, State of California, on March 17th, 1900.

The name of the owner of said lot or piece of land is "Unknown."

The amount due on said bond for principal is $38.85, and for interest thereon, up to said date of sale, is $3.35.

This notice shall be published two weeks in the Richmond News, a newspaper of general circulation, published in said City of Richmond, which said newspaper is hereby designated by the undersigned as the newspaper in which this notice shall be published.

J. R. VAUGHN,
City Treasurer of the City of Richmond, Cal.
Dated March 2, 1917.
First publication March 6th, 1917.
Last publication March 20th, 1917.
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ANIMALS AT STORY HOUR.

More stories from the new book, "Famous Fopr-footed Friends," will be told to the children at this Saturday's story hour in the library. The boys and girls have been enjoying these stories of dogs and horses of famous people very much, for not only do they show the wonderful fidelity and love of animals for men, but many interesting events in history are brought out.

The stories to be told this week are:

"A Dog That Chose His Master," the pet of William the Silent.

"A Dog of the Trenches," a story of a dog of France who rescued his master in the present war.

"Loulou," who "Died Like a Soldier," another story of the present war.

The Story Hour is at 3 p. m. on Saturdays in the children's room.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the estate of Theresa Goulart, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Theresa Goulart, deceased, to the creditors of, and to all persons having claims against said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Contra Costa County, State of California, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to the said administrator, at the office of Will S. Robenson, 707 Macdonald avenue, Richmond, Cal., the same being designated as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate, within ten months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated March 7th, 1917.
WILLIAM GOULART,
Administrator of the Estate of Theresa Goulart, deceased.
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To avoid the congestion of last year and the disappointment of those unable to get in, more generous space will be given to the Exhibit, and tickets limited in number to the capacity of the floor will be given out for each evening to those who ask for them.

A Greater Style Show This Season

More models, more garments. Women's and children's complete outer wardrobes will be shown, from the negligees and bathing costumes to the evening gowns. A bride and her maids will be a feature. The stage and promenades will be elevated. Special music. Large number of seats. REMEMBER to ask for your ticket, obtainable from floor men, at Suit Section, or Main Office.

Women's Suits at $25

Included in this collection are strictly tailored suits so fashionable this season, cut on mannish lines with plain coat collar, also pleated anad semi-fancy models. Of poplin, serge, gabardine and jersey in dark, light and medium colors.

New Shipment of Women's All-Over Aprons

Crisp, fresh new aprons of pretty percales and ginghams just unpacked. Nothing better for housework or gardening. You'll enjoy choosing your Spring supply from this delightful list:
Black and white percale middy aprons—65c
Bungalow aprons in black and white or navy and white—75c.
Black and white percale aprons with elastic belt—85c.
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Envelope aprons of black and white or blue and white percale—$1.00.
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Second Floor.....

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A fresh, new shipment shown for the first time—excellent opportunity to get outfitted for Spring and Summer. Some with three rows of lace insertion and edging; others with embroidery flounces. Priced at—$1.25. Second Floor.

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Sea Island Tissue.....15c yard

In pretty colorings in stripes and checks as well as in many plain shades. Very appropriate for women's and children's summer dresses. 27 inches wide.

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Extra heavy, serviceable suitings. In all the daring new sport colors such as old rose, ski, gold, hockey, tennis, yacht and garden green. Makes wonderfully attractive suits and dresses. 36 inches wide. First Floor.

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AGENTS FOR BUTTERICK PATTERNS

THE SPOTLIGHT

By the OLD MAN.

We notice that the unshriven and irreparable local editor of this family and religious sheet has changed the heading over this department, giving as an excuse the fact that some of our laconics had no sandpaper edges. We would sentence him to go back on Harry Hammond's Byron Times, only our heart is naturally tender and we hate to push punishment to the extreme.

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This being St. Patrick's Day in the Mornin', we shall show up with a green necktie and go round and fraternize with Otto Ludewig and the rest of the Irish. St. Patrick was as fine an ould Irish gintlemon as iver paled a biled tater wid his thumb nail. He drove all the snakes out of Ireland, but some of them came over here to Richmond and builded nests in some folks' boots. The city council is also doing all it can to banish snakes, by passing glass front ordinances and raising license. May the day never dawn again when they "hang men and women for wearing of the green!"

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Bob Watson is going to move his watch factory and stationery store over to the "Point" first of the month. Those west side people are getting into the game with both feet when they go to moving stores over there from the east side.

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Work is progressing on the big new warehouse of the Hunt-Hatch Company at the site of the old lumber yard adjoining the S. P. It is going to be quite a building.

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Dad Breck has added a shoe-shining department to his nicotine emporium at Twenty-third and the avenue, presided over by a gentleman of both color and genius. It is getting to be next to impossible to get by that place with a nickel. Hereafter we shall go round the block in self-protection.

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Gentlemen of the Industrial Commission and Chamber of Commerce, what, if anything, are you doing about that reception and banquet to the Congressional delegation coming in a few days to look over our harbor? The News got you the promise of an expense account from John Nicholl, nad now it is up to you. Make it the biggest thng of the kind ever pulled off in Richmond. Daddy John is willing and he has the kale.

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And now Charley Chaplin is to get a million a year for making a derned fool of himself. Surely the dear people would rather laugh than cry. Maybe that is one reason so many of them around here take the News.

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Doc Blake says not a house in town is under quarantine. The one soiled by the Evening Squawk ought to be.

ANOTHER BIG TRUCK LOAD OF PIANOS

Another big truck-load of pianos has arrived for the advertising sale of the Eilers Music Company at 1316 Macdonald avenue. This sale is attracting a great deal of attention among local lovers of music, as it is the first big advertising campaign of this gigantic piano company ever held here.

They are selling quite a number of pianos and player pianos at nearly one half of their original prices. Some of our Richmond friends have purchased slightly used pianos at such low prices that they were surprised and they are now more than pleased.

The Eilers Music Co., on account of its forty some odd stores, has such a large buying capacity, that it can, as a matter of course, undersell all other piano houses with a greater variety of pianos than any of these other houses carry.

There is now in this special sale in Richmond some ten or more different makes of pianos. Just think of a brand new piano for $177 and that, too, a high grade beautiful mahogany piano and on your own terms.

If you want a player piano that is the biggest opportunity Richmond has ever had—a player slightly used for $295 and a beautiful mahogany case as well. It's no wonder people are anxious to secure these bargains. ◆◆

BARBERS MIX.

Charles Tilton, a barber, was arrested last night for handing a punch to a non-union barber named Gallante. He was bailed out by friends.

E. Forwick of the Union market, recently hurt in an auto accident, is improving at the Craven hospital.

AT RICHMOND THEATER

As the headline act for the T. & D. Richmond theater tomorrow, only, "The Bottom of the Sea," presented by the Munecos, will feature the special Sunday bill. This act carries a special scenic equipment and is one of the most original offerings now playing in vaudeville.

Starr and Starr, an eccentric comedy singing and talking team, follows with an entertaining act. This team has just returned from a successful tour of Australia.

"The Newsboy Violinist," Sam Stern, has a pleasing musical act and renders some decidedly entertaining numbers.

Peggy Alston, a singing and dancing comedienne, clever and winsome, completes an entertaining vaudeville program.

In "The Social Secretary," Triangle-Fine Arts feature, to be seen at the Richmond T. & D. theater Sunday only, Norma Talmadge is starred in a play entirely different from any of the others in which she has appeared and in a part which is both unique and interesting.

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VARIATIONS

BY WILL DAVIS

Harry Thaw, the world's most spectacular nut, has been adjudged insane—again. After he killed White he was acquitted on the ground that he was crazy. Then they put him in the bughouse, from which he finally escaped. In his fight to stay out he secured a verdict of sanity. After having cut up some unmentionable didoes with a boy in a hotel room, he fled the state to avoid prosecution, and then he avoided extradition by being declared insane. It may perhaps be deduced from the foregoing that an alienist can hardly consider his profession an exact science.

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I don't blame the up-county folks for not wanting the county divided. If anybody tried to take my meal ticket away from me I would fight like hell.

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Somebody found a typographical error in the Byron Times last week. It was so unusual that several people called Harry Hammond's attention to it; but he says he doesn't care so long as I didn't see it and roast him about it. Anybody who would pick flaws in the Byron Times would find fault with a rose.

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Mrs. Nettie Frede of Houston, Texas, has just lost her tenth husband. The nine others either died or were divorced. No. 10 says he doesn't feel so lost as he might. What he mostly feels is safe.

REALTY TRANSFERS

Daily service to the News by the Richmond Abstract and Title Co.

W E and Robert I Gruenhagen to Cal Home Bldg Loan Co—Lot 6, blk 62, Amd map city of Richmond; $1400.

Clark A Cain to Catherine E Mullon—Lots 7-8, blk 8, Spaulding-Richmond Pullman townsite; $10.

T M & Louise Cantele to Thos J De Lacy—Lots 13-14, blk 2, Upland tract, Richmond; $10.

W F Mages to Nellie E Washburn—Lot 29, blk 5, Richmond Park tract; $10.

George Wenk to H F Hurdle—Lot 14, blk 51, E Richmond Boulevard; $10.

E H Griffins to Mrs Irene Smith—Lot 34, blk 5, Griffins & Watrous Addn Richmond; sat mtge.

H C Ludiker to T W Williams—Lots 23-24-25, blk 15, Richmond Center; mtge $500, 2 years at 6 per cent.

New Richmond Land Co to Mariana I & Manuel A Silva—Lot 33, blk 223, Walls Second Addn; $10.

The Richmond Co Inc to Manuel Rocha—Lots 15-16, blk 16, Brown-Andrade trtc; $10.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

The California Highway Commission will soon start work under the $15,000,000 bond issue recently authorized for the completion of the system of highways for the state of California. Extensive additions to the force of employes will be necessary, and the State Civil Service Commission has planned the following examinations to meet the needs of the Highway Commission:

April 6-7—Engineering draftsmen; grade 1 and 2; salary $50 to $1.50. April 7—Engineering assistant, salary $50 to $100.

April 13-14—Civil engineer, grade 2, salary $100 to $150.

April 13-14—Senior delineator, Junior delineator, salary from $50 to $1.50.

The activities of the State Mining Bureau require the making of extensive topographical, geological and geographical maps and drawings. To select suitable men for filling these positions, the Civil Service Commission has planned the following examinations:

April 21—Senior geological draftsman, salary $125 to $1.50; April 28—Junior geological draftsman, salary $75 to $100.

The above examinations are open to all American citizens residing in California who are between the ages of 21 and 60 years on the date of the respective examinations, except that the age limits for engineering assistants are from 18 to 60, and who meet he requiremens.

Further information and application blanks may be secured from the State Civil Service Commission, Forum building, Sacramento. Completed applications must be filed with the commission at least seven days prior to the date announced for the respective examinations.

NOT GUILTY, SAYS EARL.

W. J. Earl, formerly of Richmond, arrested for alleged land frauds by the feedral authorities, has pleaded not guilty.

Dr. W. J. Caesar dropped into the News office last night and tried to take the editor's pulse. That was all the editor had left to take. It developed that the reason we never get a news item from him is that he is so busy with patients that he hasn't time to talk to anybody.

About 80 of the car washers, cleaners and helpers of the Oakland branch of the Pullman company have struck for more pay. They want 22 cents an hour.

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Mrs. B. McLain of Richmond, granted a final decree of divorce yesterday, hastened to San Francisco and became the bride of Joseph H. Cook, also recently divorced.

NOTICE.

There will be a called meeting of the Hod Carriers' Local, No. 274, Monday evening, March 19. All members are requested to bep resent. By order of the secretary. 6t13

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Nevada Potatoes, guaranteed, per sack	$3.50
Strawberry Rhubarb, 4 lbs for	25c
Fresh Tomatoes, per lb	10c
Fancy Cauliflower, 2 lbs for	15c
Fresh Spinach, per lb	5c
Sunkist Oranges, 2 dozen	35c
Sunkist Grape Fruit, per doz	25c
Oregon Apples, guaranteed, per box	$1.55

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ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

All persons, firms, companies, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's Office, Martinez, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession, or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian, on

FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1917,

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office, or at the Richmond Branch of the County Assessor's office, 420 Macdonald avenue.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the first day of May, 1917.

G. O. MERSER,
County Assessor.
J. O. FORD, Deputy at Richmond.
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